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¶1. Per refel request, Post has reviewed and grants clearance from the standpoint of potential implications to U.S. foreign policy concerns to the National Institutes of Health (NIH) proposed project, "Non Exercise Activity Thermogenesis in Rural and Urban Dwellers in Jamaica," pending human subject approval. Post understands research institutions involved are the Mayo Clinic College of Medicine in Minnesota and the Tropical Medicine Research Institute in Jamaica.

¶2. Embassy understands that no further assistance or resources in support of this project are required. Embassy contact is Kara V. French, Political Officer, telephone 876-935-6079 or fax 876-929-6029.

¶3. Post requests that, if practicable, investigator contact Ms. French to schedule briefing on project for informational purposes, as results may relate to technical programs here. Embassy also requests copy of results from NIH for internal informational purposes, if possible.

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